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Database Description: *CINAHL Plus with Full Text* is the world's most comprehensive source of full text for nursing & allied health journals, providing full text for more than 770 journals indexed in CINAHL. This authoritative file contains full text for many of the most used journals in the CINAHL index – with no embargo. CINAHL Plus with Full Text is the definitive research tool for all areas of nursing and allied health literature. The OLinks “Find It” link identifies full text in OhioLINK resources and in some individual library e-journal subscriptions.

***Direct on campus accessibility**

***Off-campus accessibility via:** UA Proxy server and OhioLINK Remote Authentication

To link to the database:

- Via the UA Libraries alphabetical list of databases: <http://library.uakron.edu/search>
- Via the OhioLINK database list: <http://www.ohiolink.edu/resources.cgi>

Wildcard / Truncation: CINAHL uses an asterisk (*) to replace an unlimited number of letters follow a word root and a question mark (?) to replace a single character inside a word.

Boolean Operators: CINAHL uses: AND, OR, NOT

AND: Finds records that contain both words, although not necessarily in the same sentence or in the given order. AND ties the two concepts together and provides a more narrow search than just a single word alone.

OR: Finds records that contain either word or both words. Use OR for synonymous or related terms; this broadens the search.

NOT: Finds records that contain the first word and that do not contain the second word.

Proximity Operators: You can use a proximity search to search for two or more words that occur within a specified number of words (or fewer) of each other. The proximity operators are composed of a letter (N or W) and a number (to specify the number of words). The proximity operator is placed between the words that are to be searched, as follows:

Near Operator (N) - N5 finds the words if they are within five words of one another regardless of the order in which they appear.

Within Operator (W) - W8 finds the words if they are within eight words of one another and in the order in which you entered them.

Searching using the "CINAHL Headings" link:

The CINAHL Subject Headings authority file is a controlled vocabulary thesaurus that assists in more effectively searching the CINAHL database. Each bibliographic reference in the database is associated with a set of subject terms that are assigned to describe the content of an article. There are more than 10,600 main subject headings as well as thousands of cross-references that assist in finding the most appropriate subject heading. CINAHL accepts the U.S. National Library of Medicine's Medical Subject Headings (MeSH) as the standard vocabulary for disease, drug, anatomical, and physiological concepts.

CINAHL subject heading terms are arranged in a hierarchy, or "tree structure", that permits searching at various levels of detail from the most general level to more narrow levels to find the most precise terms. The subject headings include indexing annotations, tree numbers, scope notes, entry vocabulary, history notes, and allowable qualifiers. The headings can be exploded to retrieve all references indexed to that term as well as all references indexed to any narrower term(s). Searches can also be limited with specific qualifiers (subheadings) to improve the precision of the search, and limited to major subject headings indicate the main focus of an article. The list is updated annually by subject specialists.

This authority file defaults to an alphabetical listing of subject headings. Browsing the list provides a relevancy ranked list of related descriptors.

Limiting:

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